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In re application of: Kevin D.J. Bowden

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Group No.: 3761

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For: FLOW CONTROL VALVE FOR MANUAL RESUSCITATOR DEVICES

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

- Applicant is ~~a~~ small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$ 0.00	= \$ 0.00
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE	\$ 0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

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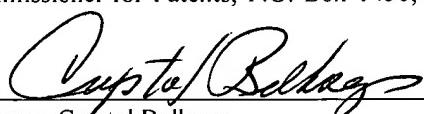
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